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EXTENSION OF HIGHWAYS IN THE DISTRICT

of Columbia.—TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
The commission created by section 2 of the act
of Congress, approved March 2, 1893, entitled
"An act to provide a permanent system of highways in that part of the District of Columbia
high outside of cities." has received from the
Commissioners of a non-showing a proposed perma-

Secretary of War, to dispose of all objections, and will then hear orally from those who desire

to thus support their written objections. R. A. ALGER, Secretary of War. C. N. BLISS, Secretary of the Interior, JOHN M. WILSON, Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, jy12-15t-au9-15t

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Yen should do so.

A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE

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grees of quality, but free from intruding crystals or other hard substances. The company has erected works in Chicago,

with a capacity to handle forty tons pe

day, furnishing a product of pumice on all the merchantable grades and forms.

Western Forest Fires.

It is not generally known that notwith

standing the immense quantities of timber

cut every year for foreign and home mar

kets and mines, from five to ten times as

much is destroyed as is used, chiefly by

running forest fires that only the federal

government can stop. Travelers through

the west in summer are not likely to forget

the firework displayed along the various railway tracks. Thoreau, when contem-

plating the destruction of the forests on the

east side of the continent, said that soon

the country would be so bald that every

man would have to grow whiskers to hide

its nakedness, but he thanked God that at

least the sky was safe. Had he gone west

the would have found out that the sky was not safe; for all through the summer

months, over most of the mountain regions, the smoke of mill and forest fires is so

thick and black that no sunbeam can pierce

no real sky and no scenery. Not a moun-

It was past midnight, and M. Ivremort

was fumbling about in the hall and mum-

"What's the matter?" called out Mine

"There's two hat racks here, an' I don't

"Oh, hang one on each and come to

The electric railway in Cairo, Egypt, is

about twenty miles long. More than 600 miles of American iron and copper wire have been used for this line.

it. The whole sky, with clouds, sun, and stars, is simply blotted out. The

scenery is concerned.

From Petit Journal Pour Rire.

bling angrily to himself.

Ivremort from the floor above.

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THOUSANDS PREPARING TO GO

Effect of the Returned Miners on A special meeting of Mithras Lodge of Perfection, No. 1, A, A, S, K., will be held WEDNES, LAY, July 28, 1807, at 7,30 p.m. Work 4th and 5th degrees et seq. By order R. B. NIXON, 32d deg., V. M. W. H. OLCOTT, Secretary. the People.

VALUE OF THEIR DISCOVERY

W. H. OLCOTT, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL FLECTION OF TWELVE DIRECTors of the Potomae Insurance Company of Georgetown will take place at the company's office, 1219
224 at, n.w., on Mendray, august 2, 1897. Polls
epaned from 12 o'clock m. to 1 o'clock p.m.
jy 24-74 PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND.

The regular quarterly dividend (No. 9) at the rate of seven per cept per annum on the preferred capital stock of the American Graphophone Company will be paid at the office of the company on August 16 to stockholders of record August 2. Transfer books close August 2. PAUL H. CROMELIN, Secretary, 1826-constibut6 SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 22, 1897. California has a touch of '49 in its veins. The old-timers have always said it. Now they know it. The Yukon gold excitement thrills the whole Pacific coast, but the nerves of the miners all seem to center here. The touch of their finger tips is not needed to give a tingling sensation to the whole community. The pleasurable thrill is electrical. It annihilates space.

The steamer Excelsior, which is moored to its wharf along the water front, is looking for its return voyage to Alaska. A small proportion of the passengers who wanted to go can be accommodated. Commissioners of the District of Columbia a certified copy of a map showing a proposed permament system of highways in the District of Colembia within the area bounded by North Capitor street. Florida avenue. Eastern branch and
the District line. This map and plats showing
in detail how each lot and tract is affected by
the proposed system of highways are now on exhibition in Room No. 9, 4th flor, of the District
brilding. All persons interested are invited to
examine the map and plats. The commission will
consider any suggestion or protest concerning the
location of any highway or portion of a highway
as shown on the map. The suggestions and protests must be in writing and must set forth
clearly the reasons for the changes, and show
the property owned or controlled by the objector.
All protests, etc., must be submitted on or be-Though the vessel does not sail till next Wednesday, July 28, the passenger lists were closed several days ago. Supplies are more profitable to the steamship company than human freight. The vessel will be

loaded to the decks. There is nothing about the looks of the Excelsior to make it more attractive than other coast vessels. Yet I confess, after seeing some of the returned miners with their bags of gold in the hotel and hearing a babel of mining talk, experiences, specu at basel of mining talk, experiences, speculation, guesses, prophecies and advice. I wandered down to the water front and stood among the crowd which gaped idly at the vessel. It is something, after all, to have seen the Argosy, the Argonauts and the goiden fleece which may make the year 1897 an epoch in the history of the

An Interesting Experience.

The experience of a gold excitement is interesting. Every class of the community is affected by it, or perhaps infected with papers had written an editorial pointing MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE NATIONAL PROPERTY OF THE PAPERS HAD WRITTEN AND PAPERS HAD WRITTEN AND STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PAPERS HAD WRITTEN AND STOCKHOLDERS OF ANY TUSH TO Alaska the District of Columbia will be held MONDAY.

August 9, 1897, to deet directors. Polis open at 12 m, and close at 1 o'clock p.m. SAM. ow. It was full of hard-headed suggestions. Those who fail to take the advice given will probably wish they had a few months hence, when enduring the distress of the arctic winter. I was commenting on the timeliness of the article. Its writer then remarked, meditatively: "I wish I were foot-loose. It would be a great thing to go up there and see those Yukon developments. Maybe I'd make my stake, too." The editor of another paper told me be hed just given one of his men, a six he had just given one of his men a six weeks' vacation at a time when his serv-ices were badly needed. The latter had a mine somewhere in Utah, and the Klondyke strike had recalled its possession to him. So he craved leave to go and look after his property. So many persons on the coast own mines, which they forget in dull times, that this is not an isolated case. The San Francisco newspapers print many columns of solid facts to keep people from making a wild rush to the frozet circle. They point out that California, even in '49, was a good country to live in without mines, whereas the Yukon country is practically uninhabitable. But there is an undertone of cynical skepticism to what they say. They know their advice -but they know, too, it will not be hee and the Pacific coast newspapers, even in pointing out the dangers and obstacles are sympathetic. They print maps showing the difficulties at every turn of the long journey, a journey longer than from San Francisco to Washington, but they give the information how to get there, and

one of the finest cutters and designers in America. He can now save his old triends from \$10 to \$25 in what they formerly paid for clothes. J. FIRED GATCHEL & CO., Merchant Tuilors, 604 13th st. that is what is wanted. Fresh From the Gold Fields. The presence of the men fresh from the gold fields is the stimulating cause of the public eagerness. There is no discounting Just think of paying only \$2.05 per 1,000 for fine Laths from wharf, or \$2.25 1,000 from yard—and that, too, right in the face of a higher tarife. Buy mow and save money. THOS. W. SMITH, 1st and Ind. ave. Mill and Warryes, foot 4th st. s.c. 'Phone 47, 1624-3m-10 the testimony of the returned miner who handles his nuggets and caresses his lage of gold dust. They are followed by crowds of retainers through the hotels. They are bronzed and weather-beaten, but they have few of the characteristics of the typical miner as he used to be after a bucky They are not blowing their money in by carousals or celebrations. Most of them were content after they had modestly fixed themselves out with new suits of store clothes. Some did not claim to be miners at all, while others admitted that they the young farmer who took his wife along for a bridal trip, is just now the hero, pos The use of pumice stone as an abrasive sibly because he brought back the most money. The story he tells is what all the others tell, and is listened to with absorbor polishing material has increased very rapidly in this country with the developing interest. They all warn people against going up to the Alaskan country now, tell them to wait till spring, and then for the ment of our manufacturing interests. The supply has been obtained almost exclusively from Italian sources until quite recently, poor man not to start without a grub stake of \$1,000. But that there is gold, millions on millions of it, they reiterate. but now an American product is not only becoming known, but bids fair to com-Their personal experiences in finding it form many thrilling chapters, yet, absorbmand the trade. An excellent quality has been found in pulverized forms in western ing as these are, they have not the fasci-Nebraska. Here some seven different denation of the yellow gold itself.

Of course the warning of the returned posits have been discovered, comprising in all about 400 acres, with approximately

miners not to go now will have little effect The Excelsior could have booked hundreds more passengers than she actually takes, and hundreds will find their way this all about 400 acres, with approximately 800,000 tons in sight, according to a report made by Professor R. D. Salisbury of the University of Chicago. The pumice stone found in these deposits has been pronounc-ed practically pure, but of several degrees of fineness, ranging from an impalpable summer. Joaquin Miller, the poet of the Sierras, says he is going overland to seek new experiences. Old men with broken fortunes, middle-aged men who have made their stakes and lost again, young fellows powder to a grade that would make a medium coarse glass paper. These deposits were acquired by a Chicago company, who who are filled with the dream of getting rich quickly, make up the lists. It is use-less to talk of hardships and uncertainalso purchased considerable tracts of land surrounding them, so as to control apy ties to these. If only half a hundred on stone, and, after much search, found a de-posit in Utah, 245 miles south of Salt Lake City, near a branch of the Utah Central. Klondyke country have come back with their riches, that is enough to show the draw shovelfuls of golden dirt, and is not one man's chance as good as another's? This is the reasoning that appeals to the only pumice stone deposits known in this country. The Utah deposit is virtually a adventurous, the enterprising and the conservative alike.

Value of the Discovery. California feels competent to judge something of the productiveness of the new dis coveries, and few will question its competency. It has plenty of practical miners and of men with experience in developing mining properties. Placer mining appeals especially to Californians as the poor man's opportunity. This is the more so since its own placers were worked out and quartz mining, which requires considerable capital, took their place. California sees in the Klondyke discoveries an experience similar no attention to the doubts of scientific experts in the east. The California conclu-sion is that a great placer gold field has been discovered in the Yukon country and not simply a pocket. Three quarters of a mil-lion dollars in dust and nuggets placed in its banks and safety deposit vaults and even started through the United States mint to be coined into golden eagles is one prop for this conclusion. The positive knowledge that larger sums are coming is another powerful support for it. Some shrewd people on the coast will make more money furnishing provisions and supplies than in gold mining.

After a time some experienced persons

who know how to organize mining compa-nies may reap fortunes selling the shares in the east. It is a long time since the tain is left in the landscape. At least none is in sight from the lowiands, and they all might as well be on the moon, as far as

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of the premises departed without accom-

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Partly Clouds

THE OFFICIAL WEATHER MAP.

EXPLANATORY NOTE: Observations taken at S a.m., 35th meridian time. Solid lines are isobars, or lines of equal air pressure, drawn for each tenth of an inch. Dotted lines are isotherms, or lines of equal temperature, drawn for each ten degrees. Shaded areas are regions where rain or snow has fallen during preceding twelve hours. The words "High" and "Low" show location of areas of high and low baremeter. Small arrows fly with the wind.

FAIR WEATHER.

Pleasant Weather to Continue Here Tomorrow.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Thursday-For the District of Columbia and Virginia, fair tonight and Thursday; northwesterly winds. Maryland and Delaware, showers this afternoon and tonight; fair Thursday; variable winds, becoming northwesterly.

Weather conditions-The pressure continues high over the Gulf of St. Lawrence, in the Mississippi valley and off the north Pacific coast. A slight depression has decloped to the north of Montana. The low area has remained nearly stationary in the lower lake region, causing showers there and in the middle and south Atlantic states. The temperature has risen in the upper Missouri valley and has remained

stationary elsewhere.

The following heavy precipitation (in thehes) was reported: During the past twenty-four hours—Mobile, 1.96; Philadelphia, 2.06; Bainbridge, Ga., 1.74; Amite, La., 1.84; Brenham, Tex., 2.30.

Signals are displayed on the Atlantic coest at Delaware breakwater, Reedy Island, and from New York to Wood's Holl section.

Tide Table.

Today-Low tide, 12:16 a.m. and 1:16 p.m.; high tide, 6:32 a.m. and 6:51 p.m.

Tomorrow—Low tide, 1:02 a.m. and 1:53 p.m.; high tide, 7:18 a.m. and 7:35 p.m.

premoters of mining schemes have had a harvest. Alluring schemes, however, will not interfere with the substantial benefits which are expected to come to the whole Pacific slope. The returned gold finders do not seem to think that the discoveries be-log in British territory will interfere with the bulk of the gold coming to the United States. The American miners were the first to get in, they have possession, and they will send the money to the states.

Influence on Politics. There has already been discussion of the possible effect of these recent discoveries on the silver question in the United States. The leading free silver paper in San Francisco says that the quantity of gold gravel taken out of the Klondyke country may settle the next presidential election. Some authorities believe that enough gold may an horities believe that enough gold may be taken out within the next three years to remedy the discrepancy between gold and silver without legislation. Others who do not look forward to such a result nevertheless see a possible influence on politics. But the men who are going to the wonder ful gold country are not thinking of finan cial policies. They want the gold, and if they dig some of it out of the ground, they will not worry about there being so much of it as to lower the level of values, CHAS. M. PEPPER,

HEALTH OF THE CITY.

Weekly Report Shows a Decline in the Death Rate. The statistical report of the health department, made under date of the 24th

instant, is as follows: A decline of over 15 per cent in the mortality of the District occurred during the past week. The number of deaths, as reported to the health office, was 103, as compared with 122 in the week preceding. The death rate for the whole population, therefore, fell from 22.9 to 19.8, that for the whites being 14.3 and for the colored 28.9. No class of diseases was noticeably prominent. There were 14 deaths from diarrhocal affections, as against 22 in the previous week, and 8 from whooping cough, as compared with 7 by the last report. Mortallly among children under one year of age declined from 49 to 35.

While no death from diphtheria occurred, two new houses were placed in quarantine therefor, 9 were released from quarantine and 9 remained with warning cards There were no premises relieved of pla-cards on account of the disappearance of scarlet fever, and but one was placed in

quarantine, leaving 6 in isolation. The weather conditions prevalent during the week were: A mean temperature of 76 degrees, a mean relative humidity of 86. and a mean barometric pressure of 29.92. There were four cloudy days, with a rainfall of two and six-tenths inches, a range of temperature of 26 degrees, rising from 66 degrees on the 19th to 92 degrees on the 23d.

THE COMMERCIAL MEN.

Division of the T. P. A. to Be Organized in Washington.

A meeting will be held in the parlors of Metropolitan Hotel Friday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a division of the Travelers' Protective Association of America in Washington. Commercial travelers, jobbers or manufacturers are eligible to membership in this association. It is now composed of nearly 13,000 commercial travelers in thirty states, and is growing rapidly. It has done much to secure two-cent mileage, better hotel ac-commodations, employment for its members, and provides an indemnity feature hich is included in its membership dues. A great many commercial travelers make Washington their home or headquarters, and many travel out from the city. As each of the adjoining states has a

siderable membership, the association feels that its usefulness will be extended by having a live local organization. The benefits received through the efforts of the association are more largely for the interest of the jobbers and manufacturers than they are for the traveling men, but, of course, whatever the traveling man does for the benefit of his house will inure to for the benefit of his house will mure to his credit. It is hoped that a large attendance upon this meeting will be secured.

The national president of the association will be at the meeting and will thorough-

ly explain the work of the association all who may feel an interest in it.

The city of St. Louis has 1,500 commerctal travelers, and the city of Ohicago has ever 1,200, who are members of this organization. Baltimore, Philadelphia, Richmond and other eastern points are also largely represented on its rolls.

Bogus Water Inspectors.

Look out for bogus water inspectors. The engineer department has received several complaints from citizens concerning water inspectors who have gained admittance to their houses upon the pre-

fext of being employes of the water department, and after an extended search plishing anything. Luckily in the cases brought to the attention of the Commis-sioners no robbertes have occurred. En-gineer Commissioner Black has had the matter investigated, and finds that in the cases of the complaints received, no inspectors have visited the houses, and the ones who called were evidently miscreants. householders can easily be sure of genu-ire inspectors by insisting upon seeing their badge of authority, which they are compelled to wear at all times, on their left breast, the same as a policeman does.

July 28-4 a.m., 70; 8 a.m., 70; 12 m., 76, and 2 p.m., 77.

Maximum, 79, at 1 p.m., July 28; minimum, 68, at 6 a.m., July 28. INDEX TO ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Sun and Moon.

The City Lights. Gas lamps all lighted by 8:23 p.m.; extinguishing begun at 4:07 a.m. The lighting is begun one hour before the time named.

Arc lamps lighted at 8:08 p.m.; extin-

Condition of the Water.

a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 77; condition, 2. Receiving reservoir, temperature, 82; condition at north connection, 2; condi-

tion at south connection, 3. Distributing reservoir, temperature, 81; condition at influent gate house, 5; effluent gate house, 7.

Up-River Water.

Both Potomac and Shenandoah rivers are reported by the B. and O. agent at Harper's Ferry as being muddy this morning.

Temperatures for Twenty-Four Hours

The following were the readings of the thermometer at the weather bureau during the past twenty-four hours, beginning at 4

O'clock yesterday afternoon: July 27-4 p.m., 77; 8 p.m., 73; midnight,

Temperature and condition of water at 8

Today—Sun rises, 4:57; sun sets, 7:15. New moon at 10:51 a.m. tomorrow. Tomorrow—Sun rises, 4:58.

Annular eclipse of sun tomorrow.

guished at 4:22 a.m.

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THE COURTS.

Equity Court No. 1-Judge Hagner. In re Q. O. M. Gilmore, lunatic; commission ordered to issue. In re Geo. H. Arledge, Kate Harkness and Alex. Lewis writs de lungite insurante and edge, Kate Harkness and Alex. Lewis; writs de lunatico inquirendo ordered to issue. Graham agt. Graham; order committing defendant for contempt modified. Bankett agt. Bankett; divorce a vin. mat. granted. Smith agt. Bramhall; sale confirmed and cause referred to auditor. Jack-son agt. McNett: Job Barnard appointed trustee to sell. Godfrey agt. Dutton; mo tion to strike amended bill from files de nied and five days allowed to answer. Os born agt. Haley; sale of certain lots con firmed and trustee authorized to make expenditures. May agt. May; divorce

Criminal Court No. 1-Judge Hagner. United States agt. Albert Stewart; larceny from the person; on trial. United States agt. John Adams; assault to kill; defendant arraigned; plea, not guilty.
United States agt. Wm. Campbell; house-breaking; do. United States agt. William
Balley and Herman Heiler; do. United States agt. Theo. Williams; larceny; do.

Probate Court-Judge Hagner. Estate of Wm. C. Kenealy; will fully proved. Estate of Mary M. Carter; codicil proved. Estate of Mary St. John; will filed. Estate of Geo. A. Jordan; petition for sale. Estate of Mary St. John; petition for probate of will filed. Estate of Elizabeth L. West; receipts filed. Estate of John T. West; do. Estate of Henry Horan; petition for sale. Estate of Daniel Mur-phy; proof of publication. In re Mary Hal-lowell; petition for appointment of guar-dian filed. Estate of Thos. Owens; petition for letters of administration filed. Estate of Wm. B. Webb; order fixing administrator's commission. Estate of Francis W. Lusby; executors bonded and qualified

KEPT THEIR OWN SECRET. Announcement of a June Marriage

Just Made by the Bride. Miss Carrie Xander., daughter of Mr. Karl Xander of No. 439 K street, and Mr. Thomas Luckett, telegraph operator at the Shoreham, went for a river excursion June 25 and made a stop at Alexandria, where they were married. After enjoying a sail further down the Potomac they returned to this city and to their respective. homes without taking their friends into their confidence over their important step. One day last week the young bride went o Colonial Beach, and from that point wrote to her parents, informing them of her marriage. Yesterday the family join-ed the couple at the Beach to extend con-gratulations.

On their return to the city Mr. and Mrs. Luckett will reside at the home of the groom's parents, on Pennsylvania avenue between 4½ and 6th streets. Transfers of Real Estate. Bagyille-M. E. Gooding to Besil M. Brodie, lots 51 to 55, blk. 6, sec. 3; \$5.

B street northeast between 3d and 4th streets— Charlotte Stegemier to Geo. C. Huise, part lot 2, Third street southwest between M and N streets-Arthur A. Birney et al., trustees, to Richard H. Sorrell, lot 55 and part lot 54, sq. 545; \$1,900. Alley between 18th and 14th, C and D streets outheast-Wm. N. Moore et ux. to Odell S. Smith,

southeast—Wm. N. Moore et ux. to Odell S. Smith, lot 48, sq. 1041; \$10.

Seventeenth street northeast between East Capitol and A streets—W. Moshy Williams, trustee, to Martin L. Weifley, lot 35, sq. 1095; \$35.

Ninth and G streets northeast—Chas. B. Pickford to Mary Fesier, part lot 116, sq. 915; \$10.

No. \$18 4th street northeast—Saille E. Clayville to Jacob N. Belt, lot 69, sq. 806; \$10.

E street northwest between 11th and 12th streets—Thos. McGill to Wm. J. Wellace, half interest in part original lot 2, sq. 321; \$6,000.

Meridian Hill—Jas. T. Bradford et al. to White-field McKinlay, lot 11, bit. 16; \$1,162.50.

Columbia Heights—Louisg A. Williams to Lester.

CONDENSEDLOCALS The recent rains have somewhat affected

too warm to run their dogs in the swamp and, because of the scarcity of birds, only and, because of the scarcity of birds, on from two to four can be killed during Bicycle dealers who are in the hiring

business have experienced some trouble with their customers during recent weeks. They hire wheels to nearly all converses. hire wheels to nearly all comers, and more than a dozen wheels so hired have been kept by the customers. Detective Boardman has these cases under investiga-

It cost New Orleans \$171,000 to make its latest fight against the high water in the Mississippi river, as President Thoman of the levee board reports. Everything was done in a hurry at the last moment, but the expense was less than had been ex-

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M. G. EMERY,
Directors. REPORT OF THE CONDITION COLUMBIA NATIONAL BANK OF WASHINGTON, At Washington, in the District of Columbia, At the close of business July 23, 1897. RESOURCES Stocks, securities, etc.
Banking house, farmiture and fixtures.
Other , real estate and mortgages
owned 2,492 50 2,581 42 Due from national banks (not reserve agents)

Due from approved reserve agents...
Checks and other cash items...
Ex-hanges for clearing house...
Notes of other national banks.... ... 12,469 22 Fractional paper currency, nickels and 179,606 50 Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer 3,600 00 Total\$1,451,769 51 LIABILITIES. HENRY K. SIMPSON, Notary Public, D.C. Correct—Attest:

he tomato crop about this section,

Very few woodcock are being killed in this section now, and the dealers are de-pending almost wholly upon the birds from the states for supplying their customers. The weather, the gunners say, has been

known have been made near Havre de Grace this season. Prices have been lower than the fishermen have ever known. Local dealers have handled the Havre de Grace fish because the catch of rock in the Pohas not been of such large speci-

Company's

.... \$599,081.40 199,000 00

real estate or collateral, at reasonable rates.

Interest paid upon deposits on daily balances subject to check.

This company acts as executor, administrator, trustee, agent, treasurer, registrar and in all other fiduciary capacities.

Bores for rent in burglar and fire-proof vaulus for safe deposit and storage of valuable packages.

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Sational Metropolitan Bank Building Correspondents Robert Lindblom & Co.

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1419 F st., Glover building.
Correspondents of Messrs. Moore & Schley, 90
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Bankers and Devicts in Government Bonds.
Deposits. Exchange, Loans.
Railroad Stocks and Bonds and all securities
listed on the exchanges of New York, Philadelphia,
Boston and Baltimore bought and sold.
A specialty made of investment securities. District londs and all local Railroad, Gas, Insurance
and Telephone Stock dealt in.
American Bell Telephone Stock bought and sold.
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bought or taken at colinteral on longs. T. D. HADDAWAY, 1806 F st. n. w., or ben 808, City P.O. 1629-tf

NATIONAL SAFE DEPOSIT, SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, At Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business, July 28, 1897. RESOURCES.

Loans on real estate and collateral e Banking bouse, furniture and fixtures. Other real estate and mortgages owned Due from national banks (not reserve

FINANCIAL.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:

Correct-Attest:

LIABILITIES

EESOURCES.

Loans and discounts. \$2,141,288 66
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured. \$22 65
Stocks, securities, etc. 51,162 84
Banking house, furniture and fixtures. 604,714 45
Other real estate and mer gages owned
Due from national banks. 205,363 67
Due from state banks and bankers and
trust companies. 240,624 22
Checks and other cash items. 11,050 89
Fractional paper currency, nickels and
cenis. 148 65 agents)
Checks and other cash items
Notes of other national banks
Finctional paper currency, nickels and 860,712 09 11,996 56 Cents
Lawful money reserve in ban't, vic:
Specie \$.8137,401 00
Legal tender notes. . . . 164,000 00 82 27 Total.....\$3,573,063 16 26,042 50 Total\$3,064,580 (5 Total \$3,064,880 05
District of Columbia, county of Washington, 88:
I, GEORGE HOWARD, Cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Real estate trust bonds..... Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1897.

GEORGE HOWARD, Cashler.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1897.

WILLARD H. MYERS.

Notary Public, I, Andrew Parker, secretary of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ANDREW PARKER, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1897. TENNEY ROSS, Notary Public.

Orrect—Attest: JNO. A. SWOPE, JNO. R. CARMODY, JOHN B. GURLEY, HENRY K. WILLARD, LOUIS D. WINE, CHARLES BAUM, 1t

THOMAS R. JONES,
M. G. EMERY.
G. T. DUNLOP,
ALBERT L. STURTEVANT,
Directors. REPORT OF THE CONDITION

REPORT OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF the RIGGS NATIONAL BANK OF WASHINGTON, D.C., At Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business, July 23, 1897. REPORT OF THE CONDITION Of the

AMERICAN SECURITY AND TRUST CO.,
At Washington, D. C., at the close of bush RESOURCES. Loans and discounts overdrafts, secured and unsecured.
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.
U. S. bonds on hand
Premiums on U. S. bonds. D. C., at the July 23, 1897. RESOURCES. . . \$2,716,903 4: 446 17 100,000 00 10,000 00 74,860 77 from state banks and bankers..... Due from approved reserve agents... Checks and other cash items.... Exchanges for clearing house. Due from national agents)

Due from state banks and bankers

Checks and other cash items.

Fractional paper currency, nickels and 804 97

cents
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:
Specie \$227,657 00
Legal-tender notes 21,000 00 Total.....\$4,783,646 08 Total\$4,646,466 24 Capital stock paid in.....\$1,250,000 or

DAVID RITTENHOUSE, Notary Public. ARTHUR T. BRICE, WM. J. FLATHER, REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
NATIONAL CAPITAL BANK OF WASHINGTON,
At Washington, in the District of Columbia,
At the close of business, July 23 1897.

RESOURCES. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured. 448 91 U. S. bonds to secure circulation. 55,400 60 U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits. None. U. S. bonds on hand. 2,300 00 Prendums on U. S. bonds 5,250 00 Stocks, securities, etc. 20,000 66 Banking house, furniture and fixtures. 50,000 66 Due from national banks (not reserve agents) agents) 43,824 86

Due from state banks and bankers 840 26

Due from approved reserve agents 126,633 24

Cheeks and other cash items. 638 85

Exchanges for clearing house 3,463 37

Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents

cents Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.: Specie Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).

Due from U. S. treasurer, other than
5 per cent redemption fund...... Total\$989,935 21 National banks notes oursaining a solution of the mational banks 10,926 02 Due to other national banks 7,559 86 Dividends unpaid 462 00 Individual deposits subject to check 052,825 92 Demand certificates of deposit 9,405 54

JOHN F. HERRELL, H. C. McCAULEY, GEO. F. HARRIN, S. H. WALKER, Directors.

though the supply is perhaps more than enough to meet the demands. What keeps up the prices is the fact that local dealers have been shipping car loads of tomatoes west. A great many of them have been sent to Pittsburg.

The largest catches of rock fish ever

Capital stock paid in.
Sarplus fund.
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.
National bank notes outstanding.
Due to other national banks.
\$35,828 04
Due to state banks and bankers.
\$126,733 02
Dividends unpaid.
\$30 00
Individual deposits subject to check.
\$834,799 \$2

1.005 440 87 District of Columbia, county of Washington, ss.

I. CLARENCE CORSON, cashier of the above named bank, do solumnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CLARENCE CORSON, Cashier, CLARENCE CORSON, Cashier, CLARENCE CORSON, Cashier, CLARENCE CORSON, Cashier, Constant of the control belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th di of July, 1867.

THOS. H. YOUNG, N. P.

ALBERT F. FOX.
MYRON M. PARKER,
H. K. WILLARD,
CHAS. C. DUNCANSON,
FRANK B. NOYES,
E. S. PARKER,

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK
OF WASHINGTON CITY,
Washington, in the District of Columbia,
At the close of business, July 23, 1897. RESOURCES.

Leans and discounts.
Overdrafts, secuced and unsecured.
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.
U. S. bonds on band.
Premiums on U. S. bonds.
Stocks, securities, etc.
Due from national banks (not reserve negative) agents)
Due from state banks and bankers.
Due from approved reserve agents.
Checks and other cash items.
Exchanges for clerring bouse.
Notes of other national banks.
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents. 87,145 73 228 51 Lawful money reserve in bank, viz. 210,844 00 Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 4,500 00

Total\$1,520,533 40 7.418 38

Correct—Attest: F. P. MAY, H. BROWNING, CLARENCE F. NOR-

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